

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

The biggest threat to our democracy is manipulation and coercion of the media by corporations for their own short term benefit. This is a particularly egregious effort by a corporate entity with very close ties to a political party to distort and manipulate the presentation of news to fit their own economic and political agenda. This is unacceptable.